

Salisbury Community Appearance Commission

Established in 1984. Governed by the terms of Chapter 160-A, Article 19, Part 7, of the General Statutes of North Carolina. Local Ordinance Number 1984-47 of the City of Salisbury, North Carolina.

Purpose: The Salisbury Community Appearance Commission was created to assist the Salisbury City Council with the establishment of policies affecting the aesthetic quality of the community.

Meets 1st Wednesday of each month, City Council Chambers, City Hall, 217 South Main Street, Salisbury, North Carolina. Other meetings and committee meetings may be called as needed.

Terms: Members of the 11-member commission are appointed by Council to serve a 3-year term. Members are eligible for reappointment to a second 3-year term.

Qualifications: The Community Appearance Commission ordinance for Salisbury, adopted in 1984, recommends that "appointments shall be made in such a manner as to maintain on the commission at all times a majority of members who have had special training or experience in a design field, such as architecture, landscape design, horticulture, city planning or a closely related field."

Objectives: To initiate, establish or enhance programs, projects, and policies that improve the overall physical appearance and quality of life in Salisbury. To promote and recognize individuals, programs and properties, both private and public, that contribute to the aesthetic standard of the community. To inform, educate and involve the public in efforts to make Salisbury a cleaner, greener and better place to live.

Major Sub-committees: Awards, Municipal Service District Incentive Grant, Innes Street Improvement Grant, Landscape, Neighborhoods and Education, Public Art Committee and Nominations.

Major Projects: Awards Program, Municipal Service District Incentive Grant Program, Innes Street Incentive Grant Program, Landscape of the Month Program, Salisbury Landscape Ordinance, Eastern Gateway Project, Innes Street Corridor Program, Magnolia Park, Bell Tower Park, Downtown Amenities Improvement Project, Art in Public Places Program, "Welcome - Historic Salisbury" Signs, Pocket Parks Program, Depot Street "Smoke & Steel" Mosaic, Salisbury History and Art Trail (with Downtown Salisbury, Inc.), Neighborhood Leaders Alliance, Neighborhood Entrance Signs, BlockWork Neighborhood Improvement Program

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